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a personal forfeiture money judgment against defendant Sheng Yen in the amount of \$375,200.86.

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	2.	The above-referenced personal forfeiture money judgment is imposed based on defendant
Sheng	g Yen's c	onviction for violating 18 U.S.C. § 1956(h) (Count Two). Said amount reflects a
reaso	nable cor	npromise between the parties for forfeiture purposes concerning the proceeds the
defendant obtained, which the defendant agreed is subject to forfeiture based on the offense of		
convi	ction. A	ny funds applied towards such judgment shall be forfeited to the United States of America
and d	isposed o	of as provided for by law.

3. Payment of the personal forfeiture money judgment should be made in the form of a cashier's check made payable to the U.S. Marshals Service and sent to the U.S. Attorney's Office, Attn: Asset Forfeiture Unit, 501 I Street, Suite 10-100, Sacramento, CA 95814. A payment of \$200,000.00 is due 30 days prior to sentencing. The \$200,000.00 must be delivered to the U.S. Attorney's Office and will be used to entirely satisfy the \$375,200.86 personal money judgment described above. Prior to the imposition of sentence, any funds delivered to the United States to satisfy the personal money judgment shall be seized and held by the U.S. Marshals Service, in its secure custody and control.

Dated: 8/18/2023 PHILLIP A. TALBERT United States Attorney

By: /s/ Kevin C. Khasigian KEVIN C. KHASIGIAN Assistant U.S. Attorney

### ORDER

For good cause shown, the Court hereby **IMPOSES** a personal forfeiture money judgment against defendant Sheng Yen in the amount of \$375,200.86. Payment of the personal forfeiture money judgment should be made in the form of a cashier's check made payable to the U.S. Marshals Service and sent to the U.S. Attorney's Office, Attn: Asset Forfeiture Unit, 501 I Street, Suite 10-100, Sacramento, CA 95814. A payment of \$200,000.00 is due 30 days prior to sentencing. The \$200,000.00 must be delivered to the U.S. Attorney's Office and will be used to entirely satisfy the \$375,200.86 personal money judgment described above.

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Any funds applied towards such judgment shall be forfeited to the United States of America and disposed of as provided for by law. Prior to the imposition of sentence, any funds delivered to the United States to satisfy the personal money judgment shall be seized and held by the U.S. Marshals Service, in its secure custody and control.

# IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 22, 2023 /s/ John A. Mendez

THE HONORABLE JOHN A. MENDEZ SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE